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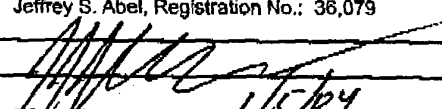
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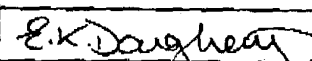
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## PETITION TO MAKE SPECIAL UNDER 37 C.F.R. 1.102

Sir:

In accordance with Rule 1.102 and MPEP § 708.02 IX entitled "Special Status for Patent Applications Relating to Superconductivity," applicants respectfully request that the above-identified application be accorded special status. The above-identified application contains inventions involving superconductive materials. Accordingly, advancement of the above-identified application is respectfully requested.

No PTO fees are required for consideration and granting of this petition, in accordance with MPEP § 708.02 IX.

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